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230-05-001 Prorating or refunding of fees.

- (1) We may prorate license fees when we adjust expiration dates to schedule our workload.
- (2) We may adjust expiration dates to end on the same day for organizations licensed for more than one activity. Whenever we adjust license expiration dates under this provision, we may prorate the required fees.
- (3) We will not prorate or refund fees when
 - (a) You discontinue your gambling activities; or
 - (b) You voluntarily surrender your license or permit; or
 - (c) We suspend or revoke your license.
- (4) We keep a portion of your application fees whether we deny or administratively close your application or you withdraw it.
- (5) If you are a licensee, you may apply for a partial refund of your license fee if your annual gross gambling receipts are less than the minimum for your license class. We will refund the difference between the fees you paid and the fees for the license class level you actually met. You must request the refund within twelve months.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 9.46.070 (5), (6), (14), and (20).]

230-05-005 Fees for review of gambling equipment, supplies, services, or games.

You must apply to us if you want to submit gambling equipment, supplies, services, or games for our review. You must pay the application deposit before we perform the review. You must also reimburse us for any additional costs of the review.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 9.46.070 (5), (6), (14), and (20).]

230-05-010 Returned checks.

- (1) If your bank returns your check for license fees to us for any reason, you must
 - (a) Pay us in full, by certified check, money order, or cash, within five days of notification; and
 - (b) Pay an additional processing charge of thirty dollars.
- (2) If you fail to pay within five days of notification,
 - (a) We will administratively close your application; or
 - (b) Your license expires and all gambling activity must stop.
- (3) If we administratively close your application or your license expires, you must give us a new application with fees paid by certified check, money order, or cash in order to be considered for a license.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 9.46.070 (5) and (6).]

230-05-015 Two-part payment plan for license fees.

(1) If you are renewing an annual license or applying for an additional license, you may pay the license fee in two payments if

- (a) You elect to participate; and
- (b) The license fee is at least eight hundred dollars; and
- (c) You pay an administrative processing fee as set out in WAC 230-05-020 or 230-05-030, plus one-half of the annual license fee at the time of application or renewal.

(2) We issue licenses under the two-part payment plan with an expiration date of not more than one year and a second-half payment due date.

- (a) If we receive your second-half payment on or before the due date, the license will remain in effect until the expiration date.
- (b) If you fail to submit the second-half payment on or before the due date, the license expires and gambling activities must stop.

(3) Your gross gambling receipts during the first-half payment period must not exceed fifty percent of the authorized class limitation for annual gross gambling receipts.

Licensees whose gross gambling receipts exceed fifty percent of the authorized level must apply for a license at the appropriate license class and pay the full upgrade fee, plus an administrative processing fee, as set out in WAC 230-05-020 and 230-05-030.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 9.46.070 (5) and (6).]

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230-05-020 Charitable or nonprofit organization fees.

Bona fide charitable and nonprofit organizations must pay the following fees to us when applying for gambling licenses, permits, miscellaneous changes, or inspection services:

1. Amusement Games

License	Annual Gross Gambling Receipts	Fee
Class A	Premises only	\$54
Class B	Up to \$10,000	\$54
Class C	Up to \$25,000	\$294
Class D	Up to \$50,000	\$472
Class E	Over \$50,000	\$822

2. Bingo

License	Annual Gross Gambling Receipts	Fee	One Time Variance*
Class A	Up to \$25,000	\$54	\$1,000
Class B	Up to \$75,000	\$171	\$1,000
Class C	Up to \$150,000	\$350	\$2,000
Class D	Up to \$350,000	\$944	\$4,000
Class E	Up to \$650,000	\$1,590	\$8,000
Class F	Up to \$1,500,000	\$3,196	\$15,000
Class G	Up to \$2,000,000	\$4,612	\$23,000
Class H	Up to \$3,000,000	\$6,162	\$30,000
Class I	Up to \$4,000,000	\$7,700	\$38,000
Class J	Up to \$5,000,000	\$9,238	\$45,000
Class K	Up to \$6,000,000	\$10,364	\$53,000
Class L	Up to \$7,000,000	\$11,846	\$60,000
Class M	Up to \$8,000,000	\$13,330	\$65,000
Class N	Up to \$9,000,000	\$14,500	\$70,000
Class O	Up to \$10,000,000	\$16,000	\$75,000
Class P	Up to \$11,000,000	\$17,500	\$80,000
Class Q	Up to \$12,000,000	\$21,000	\$85,000
Class R	Up to \$13,000,000	\$24,000	\$90,000
Class S	Up to \$14,000,000	\$27,000	\$95,000

*See Chapter 06 – “Exceeding License Class”

3. Card Games

License	Description	Fee
Class A	Nonhouse-Banked - Fee to play	\$589
Class B	Limited card games - hearts, rummy, pitch, pinochle, and cribbage - Fee to play	\$171
Class C	Tournament only - no more than thirty consecutive days per tournament	\$54
Class D	Nonhouse-Banked - No fee to play	\$54

4. Fund-Raising Event

License	Description	Fee
Class A	One event - not more than 24 consecutive hours	
	First time applicant	\$350
	Previously licensed applicant	\$206
Class B	One event - not more than 72 consecutive hours	
	First time applicant	\$589
	Previously licensed applicant	\$361
Class C	Additional participant in joint event - not lead organization	\$171
Class D	Limited fund-raising event - one event - not more than six consecutive hours	
	First time applicant	\$154
	Previously licensed applicant	\$103
Class E	Fund-Raising Event Equipment Distributor - rents or leases, equipment no more than ten times per year	\$233
Class F	Fund-Raising Event Equipment Distributor - rents or leases equipment more than ten times per year.	\$589

5. Punch Boards/Pull-Tabs

License	Annual Gross Gambling Receipts	Fee	One Time Variance*
Class A	Up to \$50,000	\$561	\$5,000
Class B	Up to \$100,000	\$1,002	\$5,000
Class C	Up to \$200,000	\$1,892	\$10,000
Class D	Up to \$300,000	\$2,750	\$10,000
Class E	Up to \$400,000	\$3,552	\$10,000
Class F	Up to \$500,000	\$4,288	\$10,000
Class G	Up to \$600,000	\$4,970	\$10,000
Class H	Up to \$700,000	\$5,594	\$10,000
Class I	Up to \$800,000	\$6,162	\$10,000
Class J	Up to \$1,000,000	\$6,986	\$20,000
Class K	Up to \$1,250,000	\$7,756	\$25,000
Class L	Up to \$1,500,000	\$8,470	\$25,000
Class M	Up to \$1,750,000	\$9,038	\$25,000
Class N	Up to \$2,000,000	\$9,594	\$25,000
Class O	Up to \$2,500,000	\$10,542	\$30,000
Class P	Up to \$3,000,000	\$11,200	\$35,000
Class Q	Up to \$4,000,000	\$13,200	\$40,000
Class R	Up to \$5,000,000	\$15,000	\$50,000
Class S	Up to \$6,000,000	\$17,000	\$60,000
Class T	Up to \$7,000,000	\$19,000	\$70,000
Class U	Up to \$8,000,000	\$21,000	\$80,000
Class V	Over \$8,000,000	\$23,000	\$80,000

*See Chapter 06 "Exceeding License Class."

6. Raffles

License	Annual Gross Gambling Receipts	Fee
Class A	Up to \$5,000	\$54
Class B	Up to \$10,000	\$171
Class C	Up to \$25,000	\$350
Class D	Up to \$50,000	\$589
Class E	Up to \$75,000	\$944
Class F	Over \$75,000	\$1,414

7. Combination License

License	Description	Fee
Class A	Allows gross gambling receipts of up to \$25,000 from bingo, \$7,500 from raffles, and \$7,500 from amusement games, not to exceed \$30,000 combined gross gambling receipts from all such activities. Allows Class D card games.	\$106
Class B	Allows gross gambling receipts of up to \$60,000 from bingo, \$15,000 from raffles, and \$15,000 from amusement games, not to exceed \$75,000 combined gross gambling receipts from all such activities. Allows Class D card games.	\$276
Class C	Allows gross gambling receipts of up to \$125,000 from bingo, \$30,000 from raffles, and \$30,000 from amusement games, not to exceed \$150,000 combined gross gambling receipts from all such activities. Allows Class D card games.	\$639

8. Special Property Bingo

Once Annually	\$26
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9. Permits

Recreational gaming activity	\$54
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10. Changes

Type	Fee
Name	\$26
Location	\$26
Fund-Raising Event Date or Time	\$26
License Class	\$26
Duplicate License	\$26

11. Other Fees

Type	Fee
Replacement Identification Stamps	\$26
Failing to Apply for License Class Upgrade	Fifty percent of the difference between our fees for the licensee's present license class and the new license class or one thousand dollars, whichever is less, plus \$26
Review, Inspection and/or Evaluation of Equipment, Paraphernalia, Services, or Schemes	Deposit and fees as required

12. Two Part Payment Plan Participation

Annual Participation	\$26
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[Statutory Authority: RCW 9.46.070 (5) and (6).]

WAC 230-05-025 Commercial Stimulant Fees

All commercial stimulant license applicants must pay the following fees to us when applying for gambling licenses, miscellaneous changes, or inspection services:

1. Card Games – Nonhouse-banked

License	Description	Fee
Class B	Up to five tables of limited card games - hearts, rummy, pitch, pinochle, and/or cribbage. Fee to play.	\$175
Class C	Tournament only, no more than thirty consecutive days per tournament.	
C-5	Up to five tables	\$175
C-10	Up to ten tables	\$318
C-15	Up to fifteen tables	\$529
Class D	Up to five tables. No fee to play.	\$55
Class E	Fee to play	
E-1	One table only	\$422
E-2	Up to two tables	\$727
E-3	Up to three tables	\$1,210
E-4	Up to four tables	\$2,426
E-5	Up to five tables	\$3,650
Additional tables	Per Table - up to a maximum of fifteen	\$1,060
Class F	Endorsement/Upgrade of Class E includes permission to use alternative fee collections and use of player-supported jackpots.	\$1,590

2. Card Games – House-Banked

All tables within a card room operating any house-banked card game must be licensed under this license class.

License	Fee
Annual	\$6,368
Additional fee per table - up to fifteen tables	\$1,590

3. Punch Boards and Pull-Tabs

License	Annual Gross Gambling Receipts	Fee	One Time Variance*
Class A	Up to \$50,000	\$577	\$5,000
Class B	Up to \$100,000	\$1,030	\$10,000
Class C	Up to \$200,000	\$1,942	\$10,000
Class D	Up to \$300,000	\$2,826	\$10,000
Class E	Up to \$400,000	\$3,650	\$10,000
Class F	Up to \$500,000	\$4,408	\$10,000
Class G	Up to \$600,000	\$5,108	\$10,000
Class H	Up to \$700,000	\$5,748	\$10,000
Class I	Up to \$800,000	\$6,332	\$10,000
Class J	Up to \$1,000,000	\$7,180	\$20,000
Class K	Up to \$1,250,000	\$7,970	\$25,000
Class L	Up to \$1,500,000	\$8,704	\$25,000

Class M	Up to \$1,750,000	\$9,310	\$25,000
Class N	Up to \$2,000,000	\$9,862	\$25,000
Class O	Up to \$2,500,000	\$10,836	\$30,000
Class P	Up to \$3,000,000	\$11,200	\$35,000
Class Q	Up to \$4,000,000	\$13,200	\$40,000
Class R	Up to \$5,000,000	\$15,000	\$50,000
Class S	Up to \$6,000,000	\$17,000	\$60,000
Class T	Up to \$7,000,000	\$19,000	\$70,000
Class U	Up to \$8,000,000	\$21,000	\$80,000
Class V	Over \$ 8,000,000	\$23,000	\$80,000

* See Chapter 06 “Exceeding License Class”

230-05-030 Fees for Other Businesses

All other business license applicants must pay the following fees to us when applying for gambling licenses, miscellaneous changes, or inspection services:

1. Commercial Amusement Games

License	Annual Gross Gambling Receipts	Fees
Class A	Premises only	*\$301/\$137
Class B	Up to \$50,000	\$422
Class C	Up to \$100,000	\$1,086
Class D	Up to \$250,000	\$2,426
Class E	Up to \$500,000	\$4,256
Class F	Up to \$1,000,000	\$7,306
Class G	Over \$1,000,000	\$9,140

* We reduce the license fee by \$164 when you apply for additional licenses at the same business premises, apply for multiple licenses at the same business premises, or a licensee is renewing an annual license.

2. Distributor

License	Annual Gross Sales	Fee
Class A	Nonpunch board/pull-tab only	\$603
Class B	Up to \$250,000	\$1,210
Class C	Up to \$500,000	\$1,818
Class D	Up to \$1,000,000	\$2,426
Class E	Up to \$2,500,000	\$3,160
Class F	Over \$2,500,000	\$3,890

3. Fund-Raising Event Equipment Distributor

License	Description	Fee
Class A	Rents or leases equipment for fund-raising event or recreational gaming activity up to 10 times per year.	\$239
Class B	Rents or leases equipment for fund-raising event or recreational gaming activity more than 10 times per year.	\$603

4. Gambling Service Supplier

License	Fee
Annual	\$630
Financing, consulting, and management contract review	\$136

5. Linked Bingo Prize Provider

License	Fees
Annual	\$4,048

6. Manufacturer

License	Annual Gross Sales	Fee
Class A	Pull-tab dispensing devices only	\$603
Class B	Up to \$250,000	\$1,210
Class C	Up to \$500,000	\$1,818
Class D	Up to \$1,000,000	\$2,426

Class E	Up to \$2,500,000	\$3,160
Class F	Over \$2,500,000	\$3,890

7. Permits

Type	Description	Fee
Agricultural Fair	One location and event only	\$26
Agricultural Fair Annual Permit	Annual permit for specified different events and locations	\$175
Recreational Gaming Activity		\$55
Manufacturer's Special Sales Permit		\$211
Punch Board and Pull-Tab Service Business Permit	Initial application fee	\$217
Punch Board and Pull-Tab Service Business Permit	Renewal	\$53

8. Changes

Application	Description	Fee
Name		\$26
Location		\$26
Business Classification	Same owners	\$55
Exceeding License Class	New class fee, less previous fee paid, plus	\$26
Duplicate License		\$26
Corporate Stock/Limited Liability Company Shares/Units		\$55
License Transfers		\$55

9. Other Fees

Type	Fee
Defective Punch Board/Pull-Tab Cost Recovery Fees	\$100
Failing to Apply for License Class Upgrade	Fifty percent of the difference between our fees for the licensee's present license class and the new license class or one thousand dollars, whichever is less, plus \$26
Review of Gambling Equipment, Supplies, Services, or Games	Cost reimbursement

10. Identification Stamps

Type	Fee
(a) Punch Boards and Pull-Tabs	
(i) Standard	Wagers fifty cents and below
	Wagers over fifty cents
(ii) Progressive jackpot pull-tab series	Per series
(iii) Pull-tab series with carry-over jackpots	Per series
(b) Pull-tab dispensing devices	

(i) Mechanical and electro-mechanical		\$.27
(ii) Electronic	Dispensing devices that require initial and ongoing evaluation of electronic components or functions, such as reading encoded data on pull-tabs, accounting for income or prizes	\$106.17 annually
Replacement of Identification Stamps		\$26
(c) Disposable bingo cards		
(i) Single game sets of individual cards or sheets of cards		\$.27
(ii) Multi-game card packets		\$1.16
(iii) Cards used to play for linked bingo prizes	Fee per 250 card	\$.42
(iv) Cards used to play for linked bingo prizes	Fee per 5000 cards	\$8.49
(d) Coin or token-activated amusement games		
Annually - Operated at any Class A amusement game license location		\$26.53
(e) Electronic bingo card daubers		
Annual		\$10.60
(f) Electronic card facsimile table		
Annual		\$361.51

11. Two-Part Payment Plan Participation

Annual Participation	\$26
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[Statutory Authority: RCW 9.46.070 (5), (6), (14), and (20).]

230-05-035 Individuals License Fees

Individuals must pay the following fees to us when they apply for gambling licenses, permits, miscellaneous changes:

1. Charitable or Nonprofit Gambling Manager

License	Fee
Original	\$171
Renewal	\$82
Change of Employer	\$82

2. Linked Bingo Prize Provider Representative

License	Fee
Original	\$239
Renewal	\$146

3. Commercial Gambling Manager

License	Fee
Original	\$175
Renewal	\$84
Change of Employer	\$84

4. Distributor's or Gambling Services Supplier's Representative

License	Fee
Original	\$239
Renewal	\$146

5. Manufacturer's Representative

License	Fee
Original	\$239
Renewal	\$146

6. Public Card Room Employee

License	Fee
Class A - Performs Card Room Employee duties in a Class E card room.	
Original	\$175
Renewal	\$84
Class B - Performs Card Room Employee duties in enhanced and house-banked card rooms.	
Original, in-state	\$237
Original, out-of-state	\$295
Renewal	\$146
Transfer/Additional Employee/Conversion/Emergency Waiver Request	\$57

7. Other Fees

Change Of Name	\$26
Duplicate License	\$26

[Statutory Authority: RCW 9.46.070 (5), (6), (14), and (20).]